MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR (*Chief Engineer*): (*a*) No new roads were opened in these taluks during the period referred to.

(*b*) Nil.

MR. P. NARAYANA PILLAI: May I know the reason why no amount was spent for the completion of incomplete works?

MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR: Provision was not made in the Budget for that.

MR. K. P. KOCHUKORA THARAKAN (*Kunnatnad* cum *Parur*): ഫണ്ട്-ലെ വർക്ക്സ് ജനപ്രതിനിധികളുമായി ആലോചിച്ച് ചെയ്യാനല്ലേ ഏർപ്പാട് ചെയ്തിരിക്കുന്നത്?

MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR: അതെ.

MR. G. VELU PILLAI (*Karunagapally* cum *Kartikapally*): May I know whether there were any representations from the public to open those roads?

MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR: If there has been any representation it would have been attended to.

MR. P. NARAYANA PILLAI: With reference to part (*b*) may I know whether there was any incomplete work remaining in those three taluks?

MR M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR: I claim notice, Sir.

MR. P. NARAYANA PILLAI: May I know whether the Chief Engineer has inspected these roads?

MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR: No roads were yet to be completed and so I did not inspect those roads.

Collection of shanks from the territorial waters of the State.

200 *MR. MURUKKUMPUZHA V. KUNJUKRISHNAN (*Neyyattinkara* cum *Trivandrum*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether licences have been issued in the year 1114 to any one for the collection of shanks from the territorial waters of the State;

(*b*) if so, who are the persons to whom such licences have been issued; and

(*c*) what are the terms and conditions of the licence?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Mr. Yoosuf Haji Noor Mohamed Sait and Mr. Linus D'Cruz.

*(*c*) A copy of the terms and conditions of the licence is appended.

Ceramic Works at Kundara.

201 *MR. KANNANTHODATH JANARDANAN NAIR (*Karunagapalli* cum *Kartikapalli*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the amount spent up-to-date for the Ceramic works at Kundara;

(*b*) whether the expert is drawing the necessary amounts direct from the Imperial Bank of India Ltd., and

(*c*) the number of times with dates on which the accounts of the works have been audited?

* *Vide* Appendix I.—pages 733-735.

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MR. C. KUMARA DAS : The total amount invested by Government till the end of Edavam 1115 as capital expenditure on the scheme is Rs. 7,88,629-5-10.

(b) No.

(c) The accounts of the Clay Refining and Porcelain Factory are audited monthly in the same way as the accounts of all other Departments of Government are audited. A local audit of the accounts of the Factory is being conducted now.

Veterinary institutions in the State.

202 * **MR. MURUKKUMPUZHA V. KUNJUKRISHNAN :** Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a list of the Government and grant-in-aid veterinary institutions in the different taluks of the State ?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR : *The list is laid on the table.

Minor roads within the municipal town of Trivandrum.

203 * **MR. MURUKKUMPUZHA V. KUNJUKRISHNAN :** Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a list of the minor roads within the municipal town of Trivandrum showing the amount spent for the annual maintenance of the various roads during the last seven years ?

MR. M. S. DORASWAMI AIYANGAR : The required list is placed on the Secretary's table.

Agricultural Schools at Koni and Kottarakara

204 * **MR. MURUKKUMPUZHA V. KUNJUKRISHNAN :** Will the Government be pleased

(a) to lay on the table a statement by caste, of the candidates who applied for admission to and who were admitted in the Agricultural Schools at Koni and Kottarakara during the years 1114 and 1115 ; and

(b) to state what is the minimum qualification prescribed for admission to the above course ?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR : (*a*) The †statement is laid on the table.

(*b*) Admission to the School is ordinarily confined to boys, who have either passed the Seventh class examination or studied up to Form III. Applicants having higher qualifications are given preference.

MR. MURUKKUMPUZHA V. KUNJUKRISHNAN : With reference to part (a) of the answer may I know the special reason why out of 28 admissions, only one Ezhava was admitted in 1114 and out of 69 admissions, only two Ezhava candidates were admitted in 1115 ?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR : There is no special reason Sir. Only those who are found duly qualified and physically fit are admitted to the course.

Vide Appendix II—page 736.

†*Vide* Appendix III—page 737.

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